

## **REMARKS**

Claims 9-15 are pending herein.

### **I. The allowed claims.**

Applicant respectfully thanks the Examiner for indicating the allowed claims 9-15.

### **II. The objection to claim 9.**

Applicant respectfully thanks the Examiner for the suggest claim language, which has been implemented.

### **III. The obviousness rejection of claim 19 based on Sasaki (US 6,357,514) in view of Zeighami (US 2003/0183371), as noted on page 3 of the Office Action.**

Applicants respectfully note that claim 19 has been cancelled.

IV. Conclusion.

Reconsideration and allowance of all of the claims is respectfully requested.

If there are any additional charges with respect to this Amendment or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130.

Please contact the undersigned for any reason. Applicants seek to cooperate with the Examiner including via telephone if convenient for the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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